### ENTRIES ARE COMING IN FOR THE KESWICK SHOW

Officials of Big Event Which Takes Place in Albemarle County on May 15th Have Attractive Program... The List of Officials.

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Class 14-Best Combination Horse

inharnessed in the ring and shown un

der saddle.

Clas<sub>8</sub> 15-Best pony not exceeding
131-2 hands, to be ridden by a child
under fifteen years of age.

HUNTER AND JUMPING CLASS.

Conformation is to count 50 per cent.
in these classes. Performance to count
50 per cent. except in class 19, in
which conformation will not be con-

Class 16-Best Hunter that has been

Class 16—Best Hunter that has been rgularly and fairly hunted behind the Keswick hounds season 1906-1907.
Class 17—Heavy and Middle Weight Hunters—For horses up to 180 pounds over jumps not to exceed 4 1-2 feet.
Class 18—Light Weight Hunters—For horses up to carrying 150 pounds, over jumps not to exceed 4 1-2 feet.
Class 19—Free for all—Performance only to count over regulation jumps.
Class 29—Best Ladles' Hunter—Manners especially to be considered. Ladles

CHAMPION JEFFRIES

Organization Is Formed and Of- States That if the Belt Goes to a

SAYS HE WILL FIGHT

Foreigner He Will Again

Enter the Ring.

LOS ANGELES, CAL. April 27 .-

James J. Jeffries says he will return

champion becomes the property of a

foreigner. If it remains in American hands he will not leave his retirement.

"Yes, if he wins the American cham

Banner every time I get a chance to get a gallery yell, but I am a good American for all that, and I don't want to see the championship held by a foreigner if I can help it.

"I have read Squires' statement. It is a nice, straightforward, manly appeal. It impresses me favorably.

"I had a letter from Billy Delaney yesterday. Billy was present when Squires gave an exhibition before a number of newspaper men, photographers and fight experts last week. Billy says Squires is a likely looking fellow, very strong, hardy, with plenty of punishing power, a good, strong fighting face, not very big in measurement, but what we call a big little man—that is, every ounce of him is fighting weight.

"Billy does not say so, but he seems to think Jack O'Brien can outpoint him, and that he would whip Tommy Burns.

"If Squires whips Burns, O'Brien, Schreck, Kaufman and the best crop of heavyweights, he will have to fight me before he goes back to Australia.

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Spring Practice at Yale.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., April 27.—
Spring practice for the Yale football squad is now under way on Yale field.
Every aspirant for football honors who will try for a place on the team next fall is at work. Spring practice will only last a couple of weeks.

and I shall keep my promise.

Here is his own statement:

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pionship from an American.

Program.-The List of Officials.

Entries are pouring in for the fourth annual Keswick Hunt Club Horse Show, which will be held at the horse show, grounds at Keswick, Va., on Wednesday, May 15th. Reports from Albernarie county indicate that the coming exhibition will be even bigger and better than over.

The officials have completed an attractive program for the day's events. It is cludes twenty-one classes. The judging will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning. Entries close with the management on Wednesday, May 8th. Following is a list of the officials:

Directors—H. E. Magruder, John D. Sawyer, J. A. Chisholm, George Mason, W. S. Osborne, Allen Potta, G. R. Houghton, Dr. C. J. Ingersell, Barcial Rives, L. Pugh, Murray Boocock, E. H.

These classes are to be judged by their quality, manners, paces and conformation. They will be required to back casily, change the lead on the canter without apparent effort, and standlong enough for the rider to dismount and mount without unnecessary trouble.

Class 12—Best Saddle Horse—Gaits required to be shown in this class, walk, trot and canter.

Class 13—Best Gaited Saddle Horse—Horsea wil be required to show five distinct gaits.

L. Pugh, Murray Boecock, E. H., Dr. F. L. Thurman, F. M. Ran-Julian Morris, W. C. Reed, B. rne, W. T. Rankin, A. K. Rob-

Executive Committee—Julian Morris, manager; B. S. Horn, secretary; F. L. Thurman, Murray Boocock, H. E. Ma-

Class 3—heat thice-years on (an) breed).

Class 4—Horse suitable to become a hunter, three years old or over, to be shown under saddle.

Class 5—Farmers' class—Horses entered in this class must be suitable for use in harness, under saddle and general farm work and have long tails. To be shown to vehicle first, then unharnessed in the ring and shown under saddle. No entrance fee.

ROADSTERS.

Horses entered in these classes will be judged as horses driven regularly on the road, and by their manners, conformation, speed and style of going. Their pedigrees or records will not be considered.

Class 6-Best pair roadsters. (Mare and gelding may constitute a pair.) Class 7-Best single roadster (mare

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HORSES IN HARNESS.

All horses entered in these classes
must be practically sound for the purposes for which they are shown. They
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the preference over true all-All horses entered in these classes must be practically sound for the purposes for which they are shown. They must have good manners. Extreme knee or hock action alone will not brighten the preference over true allround action. In classes for pairs, both from any organized hunt. To be ridden they members, or huntsman, or whips, of their respective hunts in the hunt colors and to be shown over the regulation jumps. No one to ride more than one horse. Appointments to count 30 per cent.; conformation and quality, 30 per cent.; performance, 40 per cent.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BLACKSTONE, VA., April 27.—It is have a strong baseball team this geata certain thing that Blackstone is to have a strong base ball team this geaten, with a long and complete schedule. Nearly, a thousand dollars of the stock for the Blackstone Atheletic Association has been subscribed, and in a few days the Association will be incorporated, with a minimum paid up capital stock of one thousand dollars. At the last meeting of the following directors and officers were chosen: E. W. Sanford, president; R. L. Harris, vice-president; W. W. Neblett, treasurer; Lee W. DeBerry, secretary; C. C. Thompson, manager of the team, and the following four, with the officers, compose the directorate: D. T. Upson, W. Moncure Gravait, E. B. Fishbourne, and J. E. Jones.

The Team this season will be composed as far as possible of college players. Harry Griffin, who pitched for the Blackstone boys last summer, and who for two years previous pitched for Fork Union Academy, and who was thought last summer to be one of the best twirlers in amateur ball in Virginia, has been signed up, and will report for service about the 15th of May. E. G. Gammon and E. C. Inge, old Hampden Sidney men will a'so be among the Blackstone aggregation. It is expected that Ledge, of Richmond College, Griffin's old F. U. Academy catcher, the star out-fielder the team. Eanes the star out-fielder of Emporia, is also expected to be among Manager Thompson's players. Blackstone experts, with E. V. Gammon as Captain and coach, and driffin as leading pitcher to put upon the

aggregations of ball artists in the

Titus Will Compete.

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NEW YORK, April 27.—Constance S.

Titus, national champion amateur oarsman, has called at the captain's office
for his transportation to London, and
sails June 15th via the American
Transport line, intending to compete
for the championships in the Henley
regatta, which leging July 6th. Titus
purchased his tickets a few days ago,
and said he was going over for the
purpose of getting the diamond sculls.

Titus will have two weeks for his
training on the other side, which he
considers amply sufficient, as he is in
good physical shape, and with the practice he gets on the water in the next
two months will enter the regatta in
superb condition. Before leaving for
the other side Titus hopes to get maters well started for the Princeton students on Carnegle Lake.

BLACKSTONE PLANS

### CHAMPIONS OF EASTERN LEAGUE OF 1885



This is the first team that wen renown for the Old Dominion in organized baseball, and because they had things practically their own way in the games at the local grounds, were compelled to disband early in August, as the fans falled to be interested in contests which rarely proved to be any way but one-sided. As an instance of the winning proclivities of the team, on the last trip East it won fourteen out of sixteen games, and on its return here captured twenty-two straight. Toward the end of this notable run of victories it was seen by the owners of the franchise that with the poor support accorded the club by the Richmond people it would be worse than suicidal to continue to hold the franchise, so it was sold to a number of Montreal men. Since that time the Canadian city has been a member of the Eastern League. The teams which composed the league at the time of Richmond's membership were Richmond, Washington, Norfolk, Lancaster, Pa.; Nowark, Jersey City, Trenton and Bridgeport, Conn.

The names of the players, reading from left to right: Top row—Pyle, pltcher; Nash, third-base; Greenwood, shortstop; Pop Tate, catcher; Kimber, pitcher. Second row—Higgins, second-base; Glenn, left-field; Simmons, manager; Householder, catcher and right-field; Latham, first-base and captain.

Reclining—Johnson, centre-field; Corcoran, catcher and right-field.

#### ners especially to be considered. Ladies to ride. COLLEGES BEGIN HUNT CLASS. Class 21—Hunt Clubs—For teams of three hunters (qualified or green) from any organized hunt. To be ridden

Eastern Universities Have Had Candidates Out for Several Days.

HARVARD'S

Crimson Management Only One to Cut the Spring Training System-Elevens All Strong.

preliminary football practice for the season of 1907. Although baseball is will flourish on the gridiron next fall the Eastern group that has not put the candidates through a preliminar workout this spring. Captain Fatket, of the Harvard eleven, has announced that the Crimson team has abandoned spring practice for good. Furthermore, Harvard has planned to secure the co-operation of other Eastern universities to stop the practice alto-

for the season which does not open until next September, nearly five months away. The Harvard captain,

The season of 1905, the first under the new code, was simply an experimental season and coaches and captains had no opportunity to put these new plays into practice, that they have had since the rules were adopted.

rey, the 1906 coach.

Pennsylvania's men have been working out for the past week or so under the direction of Captain Folwell and Trainer Mike Murphy, Torrey being unable to be present on account of iliness. The assistant coaches, "Bull' Smith, W. N. Morice, and Doctors Wharton and Hedges, will take very little part in the preliminary training, Michigan at Work.

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Coach Yost, at Michigan, has been putting the candidates through a stiff course of training. He is on a still hunt after a quarter back for next year's eleven. He has had a number of men going through the paces, and it is said that Wasmund, who played half back on Lafayette two years ago, has been showing up the best. He was ineligible for the 1906 eleven, but did good work at half back for the Scrubs.

Princeton and Cornell have plunged into the work of drilling the gridiron stars with a vim. At Princeton, be-cause of the rule debarring freshmen from playing on the varsity teams, the eleven will necessarily have to be composed of members from the present funior, sophomore and freshmen

#### **OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR** THE TROTTING SEASON

CLEVELAND, OHIO, April 27.—That this will be a banner year for trotting horses is evident by the number of entries for the seven stake races to be decided in September at the Columbus Grand Circuit meeting. When the entries closed all previous records were broken in the number of entrants. Fifty-seven horses were named for the Hoster-Columbus Breweries Stake for 2:16 trotters, which carries a purse of \$19,000. The 2:14 Hartman Hotel Stake, for pacers, has forty-eight competitors for the purse of \$5,000. The same number of nominations are made for the Columbus purse of \$3,000. for 2:09 trotters, and the Board of Trade Stakes, for 2:07 pacers, has twenty-seven for 2:03 trotters, and the Board of Trade Stakes, for 2:07 pacers, has twenty-seven entries. In the breeders' stakes, twenty nominations are made for the Buckeye State Stake, in which 2:12 trotters have a purse of \$5,000 as the incentive. The King Stake, which calls for 2:06 pacers, has nineteen nominations. Twenty-nine trotters in the 2:24 class are named for the Merchanta' Stake, which represents a purse of \$5,000.

DANIELS WILL RACE

NEW YORK, April 27.—C. M. Daniels, of the New York Athletic Club, has accepted a challenge from Henry Taylor. The latter is the long-distance champion of England, and is supposed to be one of the world's fastest swimmers from the quarter to the mile. Daniels was unable to compete in the mile championship of England, while abroad last year, due to a clash of dates.

The match will take place at Battersby, September 19th, where most of the English saltwater championships are held. The one regretable feature of the match, from the American standpoint, is its coming off only three days after the 100-yard English championship, in which Daniels will compete. Still, as he will probably have no formidable rivals in this race, he can begin his training immedately after the 220-yard race of August 19th. ENGLISH CHAMPION

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### NAVY'S ENTRY HAS AROUSED INTEREST

Secretary Metcalf's Permission to Middies to Row at Poughkeepsie Sets Precedent.

FOUR-MILE RACE

Cadets Have Gone Only Two Miles Previously-Change in Training System.

ollege rowing is more calculated to please those interested than the news which came from Washington that Secretary of the Navy Metcalf had sanctioned the entry of the Annapolis oarsmen in the intercollegiate regatta on the Hudson on June 26th. It is a step which means a great deal for college rowing and creates a situation of interest in the outcome of the next intercollegiate regatta. It is not that Annapolis will win the Varsity race necessarily, but that the infusion of new blood into the regatta will stirthings up. The virtual proprietorship of Cornell in the race now may come to an end, college men believe.

Annapolis will have not only a Varsity eight in the regatta, but a Varsity eight in the regatta, but a Varsity eight in the regatta, but a Varsity cour as well. The midshipmen when they began to look about for information as to their procedure in the regatta were eager to enter their second Varsity crew in the Pough-keepsie races, too. They were advised that under the conditions this would be inadvisable. It was suggested to them that they should split up their eight, selecting the four men most worthy, and put them in the four-oared race.

Conditions are such that the students sanctioned the entry of the Annapolis

race without any way affecting their studies.

They will get through with the races in time to get back to Annapolis and have a day or so of rest before the summer cruise begins for such of them as have to go. Altogether the conditions are ideal for the race.

The fact that Annapolis this year will have to enter a four-mile race for the first time in the history of rowing at the institution will necessitate a change in the training scheme followed. The navy men have had one race already this season. That was with Georgetown on the Severn. The midshipmen won rather handly in the last mile by six lengths. The secret of the huge gain in the last mile is explained by the rough water, those who saw the race say.

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Besides this race the Annapolis Varsity crew has the following on its schedule: May 4th, Yale; May 18th, Columbia vs. Navy first, and Annapolis second vs. Georgetown second, and Annapolis third vs. Georgetown Preps.; June 1st, Annapolis first vs. Ariel R. C. Seniors, and Annapolis third vs. Ariel Juniors. All these races are at two miles, so that it can be seen that Annapolis will have to do some hard work to get into condition for a four-mile race. It is just possible that some other arrangement on behalf of the first crew may be made with the Ariel R. C., because if that race should be avoided Annapolis would have from May 18th to June 20th approximately to prepare for the four-mile row.



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#### PROGRAM AS ANNOUNCED FOR BIG SHOOT IN MAY

Management Offers Attractive List of Prizes in All Events---Besides Purses, Two Handsome Trophies Will be Given Winners of Handicaps.

The program for the Interstate Asociation's second Southern Handicap
'arget Tournament, which will be held
on the grounds of the Deep Run Hunt
Sub in this city May 8 to 10 inclusive,
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spreaded familiar with trap The program for the Interstate Association's second Southern Handicap Target Tournament, which will be held on the grounds of the Deep Run Hunt Club in this city May 8 to 19 inclusive, was announced by the management the latter part of last week. On the list there appear twelve events for the first day, seven for the second, in which is included the Preliminary Handicap, for which a handsom silver trophy pitcher is offered, and seven for the last day, in which is included the great Southern Handicap match, for which a beautiful engraved silver pocket flask is offered. The two prizes are exclusive of the purses to be competed for in each event.

The first day's shooting is open to amateurs only, manufacturer's agents, pald representatives, etc., being allowed to shoot for "targets only."

Eligibles for the second and third days of the shoot are classifed similarly, and in no matches are handicaps allowed, except in the Freilminary and Southern Handicaps.

Location a Feature.

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The mere fact of location is sufficient guarantee of the high character of the entertainment which will be provided. When the North in general had no higher idea of sport than the husting of deer, bear, turkey, etc., for meat, the Southern chivalry, and notably Virginia, were renowned as fox-hunters, for pure sport, and the enthusiasm was so great that it permeated alliest every section of the South, and that spirit has grown and flourished like the green bay tree until tig branches o'ersharaw all the land. The Jamestown Exposition, with its many attractions and very low rallroad rates, will be a stimulus to large attendance; in fact, it should be a strong drawin geard, for about James, town cluster memories of John Smith, the peerless Indian Princess Pocahontas, and of those high-strung Virginians who found their antithesis in the hardy descendants of Plymouth Rock ploneers. The Jamestown Exposition will be held within two hours' ride from Richmond.

The tournament will be held under the auspices of the Deep Run Hunt Club, of Richmond, one of the best known of its kind in the South. It has a membership of 350, among whom are the leading social, business and professional men of Richmond. The shooting grounds are beautiful and make an ideal place for holding this important event; there is an abundance of shady lawn, and a well appointed club house, with cafe attached. The Deep Run Hunt Club, though not primarily a trap shooting club, possesses all the attributes of one or of anything in this line, its members possessing the esprit du corps necessary for membership in any organizat-

The Official Program.

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The official program for the three days follows: Wednesday—Twelve events of afteen targets each; Thursday—Six events of 15 targets each, and the Preliminary Handicap, the conditions of which are as follows: One hundred targets, unknown angles, handicaps 16 to 23 yards, high guns—not class shooting. \$100 added to the purse. The number of moneys into which the purse will be divided with the determined by the number of to the purse. The number of moneys into which the purse will be divided will be determined by the number of entries. In addition to first noney, the winner will receive a trophy presented by the Interstate Association. Friday—Six events of 15 targets each, and the Southern Handicap, conditions to be as follows: One hundred targets, unknown angles, handicaps 16 to 23 yards, high guns—not class shooting, \$200 added to the purse. The number of muneys into which the purse will be divided will be determined by the number of entries. In addition to first money, the winner will receive a trophy presented by the Interstate Association.

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The Committee will meet at the Jefferson Hotel, on the evenings of May 8 and 9, to allot handleaps for the Preliminary and Southern Handicaps, respectively.

Harlem Regatta Plans.

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NEW YORK, April 27.—At a meeting of the Regatta Committee of the Harlem Regatta Association it was determined that the plans already formulated and announced for the Decoration Day event would be carried out in full in spite of the failure of the afort to recure financial assistance for the regatta. Word was received from the New York University that they world enter un eight in the Junior race.

Columbia-Yale Race Off.

NEW YORK April 27. Oxying to the fact that the Columbia Vacetty erew is to row Harvard on May 11. The management has found it necessary to cancel the Columbia-Valo freshuch boat race, which was to be held it New Haven on the same day.

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## pionship from an American. "I have retired and do not wish to go back into the ring. "I have no love for the glove battles, but I saw a chance to win a competency in a few short years, and I took it, I have this now. It is safely invested where I cannot lose it and where it will bring me a comfortable income for the rest of my life, so I don't need to fight again. "My wife wants to see the historic places of Europe, and I, too, have a desire to see places I have heard and read about. I shall sail for Europe as scheduled, and meanwhile Mr. Squires will thrash out the situation with the ambitious young fighters of months away. The Harvard would do away with spring practice, intimated that spring practice was contrary to true amateurism. There can be no grounds for such belief, for spring practice is made necessary by the new with the ambitious young fighters of this fellow busy, unless I am mis-taken. "Should he whip the best American fighters and win the championship from them, I'll cut short my travels and come back to take a whirl at the old game. "I don't wave the Star Special."

Last Year Experimental.

new plays into practice, that they have had since the rules were adopted. It is because of this fact that the large Eastern and Western universities of the country will induge in it. Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Pennsylvania, and Michigan have already started work, and this work will, without doubt, aid materially in lightening the labors of the coaches this fall.

Plans for the 1907 coaching having been made by every member of the Eastern "Big Five." William Knox, of Pittsburg, the famous half back of last fall, will coach the Yale team; Halliday and Schoelkopf will initiate the graduate system at Cornell; Joshua Crane will run things at Harvard, although it is predicted everywhere that he will have a harder time of it than his contemporaries, because of the fact that Harvard will indulge in no spring practice. Roper will probably have charge of the Princeton Tigers, while Pennsylvania's squad will be uader the direction of Dr. Torrey, the 1906 coach.

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Yost's call for candidates at Michi

Yost's call for candidates at Michigan has awakened the University of Chicago heroes, and about ten days ago Captsin De Tray led a squad of ambitious querters and ends ento Marshall Field for spring practice. Eckersall's term of competition having expired, Captain De Tray will turn his attention, like "Hurry Up" Yost, to the development of a quarter back, although it seems a foregone conclusion that Walter Steffen, right half back last fall, will fit nicely into the shoes of the All-American quarter.

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